

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

# Town of Hanover

## Warrant for *Special* Town Meeting

Plymouth, SS

Greetings: To any Constable of the Town of Hanover in said County.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Elections and Town Affairs to meet in the Hanover High School, 287 CEDAR STREET, HANOVER, on

**MONDAY THE 6<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY, 2019 AT 7:00 P.M.**



*Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Town will make every effort to assure that Town Meeting is accessible to individuals with disabilities. Should any assistance be desired in this regard, please contact the Board of Selectmen's Office at (781) 826-5000 ext. 1084.*

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ARTICLES FOR ***SPECIAL*** TOWN MEETING WARRANT  
Monday, May 6, 2019

**ARTICLE 1. APPROPRIATE FUNDS – DESIGN OF CEDAR SCHOOL SECURITY UPGRADES**

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, appropriate from available funds and/or borrow in accordance with Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws the sum of \$30,000, or another sum, to design physical security upgrades at the Cedar School, said design to be done at the direction of the Town Manager and the Superintendent of Schools, and provided that these funds may also be used for the installation of upgrades at the Cedar School, or take any other action relative thereto.

Facilities Engineering Manager  
Town Manager

**ARTICLE 2. TRANSFER MEALS TAX TO OPEB TRUST FUND – FISCAL YEAR 2019**

To see if the Town will vote to transfer the meals tax funds collected to the OPEB Trust Fund for Fiscal Year 2019, or take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Director

**ARTICLE 3. TRANSFER MEALS TAX TO OPEB TRUST FUND THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2024**

To see if the Town will vote to petition the General Court to enact a special act for the Town of Hanover as follows, or take any other action relative thereto:

**AN ACT RELATIVE TO FUNDING THE TOWN OF HANOVER’S OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS LIABILITY TRUST FUND**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:

**SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the treasurer of the Town of Hanover shall deposit all sums received for the local sales tax upon the sale of restaurant meals pursuant to section 2 of chapter 64L of the General Laws into the Town’s Other Post-Employment Benefits Liability Trust Fund established pursuant to section 20 of chapter 32B of the General Laws to meet the town’s obligations for other post-employment benefits. All sums and any interest thereon shall become part of the fund and may be appropriated and expended in accordance with said section 20 of said chapter 32B.

**SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect upon its passage and shall expire on July 1, 2024, and on each five year anniversary after that, unless Hanover Town Meeting by majority vote approves an extension.

Finance Director

**ARTICLE 4. INCREASE SENIOR CITIZEN TAX WORK OFF EXEMPTION**

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 59 Section 5K of the Massachusetts General Laws permitting the Town to allow a maximum reduction of the real property tax bill for the Senior Citizen Tax Work Off Program to be based on 125 volunteer service hours each year, or take any other action relative thereto.

Community Services Director  
Finance Director

**ARTICLE 5. TRANSFER FUNDS – SPECIAL EDUCATION RESERVE FUND**

To see if the Town will vote to transfer from certified free cash the sum of \$75,990 to the Special Education Reserve Fund, or take any other action relative thereto.

Finance Director  
Town Manager

**ARTICLE 6. PAYMENT OF PRIOR YEAR EXPENDITURES**

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum(s) of money or transfer from any available funds, or to transfer from other accounts, to pay such accounts as may be presented against the Town for which an appropriation does not exist, or take any other action relative thereto.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts     \$1,500.00

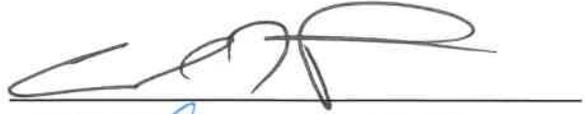
Director of Finance

And you are hereby ordered to serve this Warrant posting attested copies thereof fourteen days, at least, before the time of said meeting.

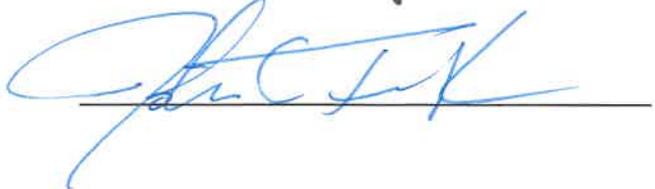
Given under our hands this 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2019.

**BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

Emmanuel J. Dockter, Chairman

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John C. Tuzik, Vice-Chair

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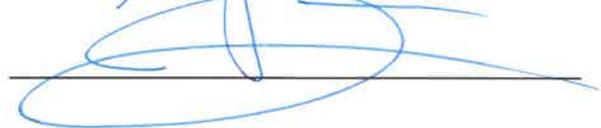
David R. Delaney

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Jocelyn R. Keegan

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John S. Barry

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\_\_\_\_\_, Constable      Posted this \_\_\_\_ day of April, 2019